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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment dated October 2, 2007, attached please find the following:

1. Copy of the section "Remarks" (pages 2-10) from the response filed on July 10, 2007.

The Notice indicates that pages 4-7 of the Response are missing from the file. Applicants respectfully disagree, as all 10 pages of the Response filed on July 10 were received by the PTO (as indicated by the electronic filing receipt), and the complete Response (including pages 4-7) can currently be viewed on the PAIR system.

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